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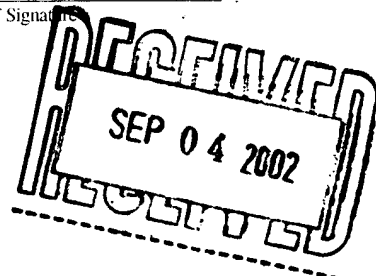
Prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the application as

follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Amend page 1, lines 2-5 to read as follows:

--This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial Number
09/676,373, filed September 29, 2000. This application is also a continuation-in-part of PCT
Application No. PCT/FI00/00916, filed September 4, 2000. Priority is claimed on those
applications and on Patent Application No. 20002845 filed in Finland on December 22, 2000 and
on Patent Application No. 20011357 filed in Finland on June 25, 2001.--



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